(c) Others.

3. Princes of the Cochin Ruling Family and Cranganur to be admitted, irrespective of marks into groups considered best by the Principal.

4. All depressed classes, Muslims and Jew women students to be admitted irrespective of marks into groups considered best by the Principal.

5. The depressed class, Muslims and Jew women students to be given a percentage of reservation of seats consistent with the proportion of applications received from them, taken separately, to the total number of applications registered for the group.

6. Children of local Government servants to be given some preference i. e., children of Government servants drawing a pay of Rs. 200 or less may be admitted provided they get a minimum of 50 per cent in the subject taken into consideration.

7. Children of local post, telegraph, telephone, railway, port, harbour, Army and Navy personnel to be given some preference, i. e., on a par with the students of Cochin and Travancore even though they may not be from this area.

8. Selection of all students inclusive of those under category (5) to be made on the basis of marks scored, the candidates being arranged in order of merit under each group of study.

UNSTARRED QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

PRIVATE SECONDARY SCHOOL SCHEME

3. [1] **Sri. N. D. Jose:** Will the hon'ble Minister for Education be pleased to state.—

(a) the number of schools that have paid 80 per cent of the fees collected to the Treasury;

(b) the number of schools that have not done so;

(c) the number of private schools that were closed down or in whose cases recognition was withdrawn; and

(d) the number of teachers benefited by this scheme?

Minister for Education, Labour and Civil Supplies **(Sri. Panampilli Govinda Menon):**

(a) 511.

(b) 414.

(c) 5.

(d) About 5,000 so far benefited.

SUB-DIVISION OFFICER, SHENCOTTAH

4. [6] **Sri. A. Ramasubramonia Karayalar:** Will the hon'ble Minister for Public Works and Communications be pleased to State.—

(a) whether the Government have received any report from anti corruption officer Mr. Rasaalam as regards the enquiry made in respect of the Shencottah Sub-Division Officer, Mr. Ahamed Kannu;

(b) how many times the said officer was transferred from Shencottah and why is it that every time the transfer order was cancelled?

Minister for Public Works and Communications **(Sri. E. John Philipose):**

(a) A petition received by Government was forwarded to the Inspector-General of Police for enquiry and he has sent a confidential report.

(b) He was given orders of transfer from Shencottah Sub-Division only once; and this was cancelled in the interests of service.

LIFT IRRIGATION

5. [11] **Sri. R. Chellaswami Nadar:** Will the hon'ble Chief Minister be pleased to state.—

(a) whether the Government have received representations from the public urging for the immediate execution of the Vilathura Lift Irrigation Scheme;

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